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FOR : METHOD FOR ARYLATING AZA-HETEROCYCLES WITH  
ACTIVATED AROMATIC COMPOUNDS IN THE PRESENCE OF  
CESIUM CARBONATE

**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.181 TO WITHDRAW  
HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

Applicants recently became aware that the above-captioned application has been placed in the abandoned files for allegedly failure to respond to a Notice of Missing Requirements. Applicants in fact responded to the Notice of Missing Requirements in a timely fashion. Accordingly, the application was marked abandoned by error by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and withdraw of the holding of abandonment is therefore requested.

A Notice of Missing Requirements for the captioned application was mailed on August 16, 2001. A copy of the Notice is enclosed herewith. The Notice indicated that a reply was due by within two months. Applicants' attorney response to the Notice of Missing Requirements was mailed on October 23, 2001 and was accompanied by a request for a one month extension under 37 CFR 1.136(a) and the required fee. Applicants' response was mailed to the USPTO with Certificate of Mailing dated October 23, 2001. A copy of the signed and dated Response to Notice of Missing Requirements and the papers accompanying the response is enclosed. Applicants enclosed a self-addressed stamped receipt postcard with the Response

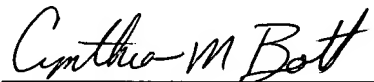
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to Notice of Missing Requirements, and said postcard was stamped by the USPTO on February 7, 2002. A copy of the stamped postcard is enclosed.

Applicants' made a timely reply to the Notice of Missing Requirements in the captioned application, and receipt was acknowledged by the USPTO. Accordingly, the holding of abandonment of the application for failure to reply to the Notice of Missing Requirements was in error. Therefore, applicants request withdraw of the holding of Abandonment and passage of the case to issue.

Because this error was made in the Patent and Trademark Office, no fee is believed to be required. However, authorization is hereby given to charge any fee deemed to be required to Deposit Account No. 23-0455, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any greater amount as may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0455.

Respectfully submitted,



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Return copy of Notice of Abandonment under 37 CFR 1.53(f) or (g)  
Associate Power of Attorney  
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Copy of the signed and dated Response to Notice of Missing Requirements and  
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